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## Masonic Banquet

The Masonic Lodge here was visited officially Friday night the 8th of December by Most Worshipful Brother McNab, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, and Right Worshipful Brother Duff of Olds, District Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta for district No 4. A number of visiting brethren were present from Olds and Innisfail and a good meeting was held. The Grand Master and the District Deputy Grand Master addressed the meeting, many points of interest were discussed regarding Masonry and a great deal of information given the members by these two brethren. After the meeting closed the members and visitors, numbering about twenty-five assembled at the Brewster House where a sumptuous banquet was served and greatly enjoyed by all. Worshipful Brother Wilson of Innisfail was Toastmaster and a number of toasts were given, several songs were sung by the brethren and a number of able speeches delivered. Great credit was given Mr Mitchell, the proprietor of the Brewster House, for the splendid banquet he served. The enjoyable evening came to a close about midnight when the brethren joined hands and sang Auld Lang Syne.

All sorts of Xmas decoration supplies at Perrins.

Mr C Mc Dannold was in town on business Tuesday.

Mr J Bernard returned from back east on Monday.

Xmas cards and booklets in great variety and all sorts of post cards at Perrin's.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will have their Xmas tree on Friday Dec 22nd. Everybody is cordially invited.

Beautiful boxes of writing paper and envelopes, a most suitable present for Xmas. Perrin's.

The Councillors of Local Improvement District 17-A-5 will meet in McCue's Hall on Monday the 18th to finish up business for the year.

## Doherty-Potts

On Wednesday, Dec 13th, the home of Mr and Mrs Potts of Red Lodge District was turned into a scene of beauty and joyous festivity. The occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Miss Minnie to Mr George Doherty.

The home was tastefully decorated for the occasion and seemed to be a fitting prelude to the appearance of the bride, who, on her father's arm entered the room looking charming in a dress of white veil trimmed with rich all-over lace and ribbon together with veil and orange blossoms. She was attended by her sister, Miss May Potts, and Miss Jessie Shenfield who both looked very tastily dressed in brown and cream. The groom was attended by his two brothers, Mr James and Mr William Doherty. After the ceremony which was performed by Rev W M Chalmers, the many guests and relatives went to the dining room where a most delicious supper composed of an excellent variety which satisfied all present to perfection and was worthy of the most expert caterers was partaken of. After supper a most enjoyable evening was spent in games and in listening to the choice selections given by Mr Edwin Shenfield's phonograph.

The happy company dispersed before the rising of the sun and the bride and bridegroom then left for their new home in Red Lodge. We wish them both a long prosperous and happy married life.

Business is so rushed at Perrin, Drug Store they had to employ another salesman "Silent".

A fountain pen makes a very pretty and useful Xmas present. Beautiful assortment, just the thing, at Perrins.

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S L Taube of the Taube Optical Co Calgary will be at the Bowden Drug store on Tuesday Dec 19th. If your eyes trouble you in any way be sure to see him.

The Trustees of the Bowden School have re-engaged the present teachers for the ensuing year; this will be satisfactory news to the majority of parents.

Delinquency box payers should remember the time for paying boxes for 1911 is drawing very near if they wish to save the heavy penalty for neglecting to pay same.

Are your Glasses giving you satisfaction? If not call and talk it over with S L Taube of the Taube Optical Co, Calgary. He will be at the Bowden Drug Store on Tuesday December 19th.

Under the New Municipal Bill, before the Local Legislature the old system of Local Improvement District will soon be a thing of the past they have long since outlived their usefulness. The new municipalities will probably contain nine townships and be governed by a Reive. Under the new order of things the Council will have much larger powers.

A man in a neighboring town, who took a city paper in preference to a country paper because he got more pages for the money was attracted by the advertisement of a fire escape which would be forwarded on receipt of \$5. He sent the cash and in a few days received a copy of the New Testament.

Church services in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday are as follows:- Red Lodge 11. 30. Eagle Creek 3. p m Bowden 7. 30. Subject "Men of Pluck". This is the second last of the series of special sermons being delivered by Rev. Chalmers. You are cordially invited to attend.

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## A Poor Reason

The benevolent old gentleman had once been a good cricketer, and even now took a lively interest in the national game. It should be fostered, he would never tire of asserting, where ever it was played, no matter under what conditions; so that, passing along one of the sordid streets of slumland one day, and finding a game in progress, he could not resist standing awhile and watching it.

Soon he became aware of certain faults in the umpire's ruling, and he questioned that official about the matter.

"I see," he said, "that your batsman has been bowled, caught, and stumped, but, nevertheless, does not go out. Why is that?"

"Oh, 'im?" was the umpire's reply. "E stays in as long as 'e likes."

"Why is that?" queried the old gentleman again. "Is he the owner of the bat, or is he a bully?"

"Neither, sir," said the urchin quietly; "but 'is father is a bobby—that's why!"

And then the old gentleman understood.

No consistent vegetarian has a right to wear mutton-chop whiskers.

## DON'T LET THAT COUGH ROB YOU OF SLEEP

You probably know all too well how it goes. Just as you doze off, the tickling starts in your throat. A gentle cough, still asleep. A harder cough, and then another. First thing you know, you're wide awake, coughing your head off.

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Attacks of cholera and dysentery come quickly, there seldom being any warning taken just as quickly if the patient is to be spared great suffering and permanent injury to the lining membranes of the bowels. The readiest preparation for the purpose is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It can be got at small cost at any drug store or general dealer's and it will afford relief before a doctor can be called.

No man wears a bald head voluntarily.—Senator T. H. Carter.

Warts are disfigurements that disappear when treated with Holloway's Corn Cure.

The only people who don't make mistakes are those who do nothing, which is the greatest mistake of all.—General Booth.

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Parkdale, Ont. In these days genius cannot play the ostrich.—Lord Rosebery.

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As soon as you feel too old to do a thing, do it.—Margaret Deland.

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When there is a divorce, and the man marries soon after, some people are disposed to be indignant. I never am, for the man to marry the co-responder seems to me the best and quickest way out of it.

## Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

## C. P. R. Invests Heavily in Chicago

It is stated on good authority here that the Canadian Pacific Railway has closed a deal for the purchase of the greater part of the land required for its new freight terminal and auxiliary yard and tracks in Chicago and that operations involving an expenditure of from \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000 will shortly be commenced. It has been about two years since the Canadian Pacific Railway, through its subsidiary line, the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie Railway purchased control of the Wisconsin Central. The latter had neither passenger nor freight terminal facilities of its own in Chicago, but came instead over what is now known as the Baltimore & Ohio Chicago terminal and the Illinois Central, passenger trains arriving and departing from Park Row station, and using also facilities at the foot of Randolph St. for its freight yards. Now it is stated this state of affairs will be changed. The "Soo" is now acquiring lands to the value of \$1,300,000 for a new freight terminal and has also entered into a contract by which it will gain entrance to the Grand Central Station at Fifth Avenue and Polk Street, upon the expiration of its lease with the Illinois Central which will be in about four years.

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There are two kinds of Socialism, one of which we shall have to let in unless we want the other to break in.—Jacob A. Rills.

## Extra

It is better to avert a war than to fight and win; better to prevent sickness than to cure it. Keep a bottle of Humblins Wizard Oil in the house and see how much suffering it saves.

There is no more cruel fallacy of democracy than that all men are born free and equal.—Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont.

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"Noos" or "Staw," sir? Evening piper, sir?" he queried. And the portly passenger emitted a gruff negative.

But the boy was persistent.

"Latest racing, sir!" he went on.

"Defeat of the champions! Explosion in the Channel Tunnel!"

"Get off, you young rascal, or I'll kick you off!" shouted the irate gentleman.

And the youth, slightly alarmed, prepared to go.

But he could not resist one parting shot.

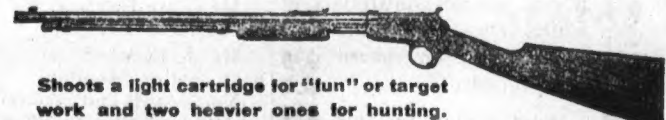
"I say, yuv'nor," he said, "our minister's given me a ticket for the chapel free tea. Do you mind lending me your stummick to go?"

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Second Nut—"Like a fireplace."

First Nut—"How is that?"

Second Nut—"Great" (grate).

## The First Consideration

She—"This place doesn't agree with me."

She—"Why don't you leave?"

She—"Why, Fido has gained a pound since we came here."

## Stomach Blood and Liver Troubles

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## Annual Meeting of the Agricultural Society

The Annual meeting of the Bowden Agricultural Society was held in McCauley hall on Wednesday Dec 5th at 2:30 p.m. and was fairly well attended by the members. Present F. Gilliland occupied the chair while in the absence of the secretary Mr. R. McCauley recorded the minutes.

The first item of business was the reading of the minutes of the last meeting which on motion by Messrs Hiltz and Skinner were duly approved.

This was followed as specified by the Fair Ordinance read and on motion by Messrs Hiltz and Roberts.

Mr Cunningham spoke on the question of awarding prizes in a class to one exhibitor claiming that it was not just to allow one man to take all prizes awarded.

Mr Skinner raised objection to Mr Cunningham's contention claiming that if an exhibitor has sufficient animals of quality to win all prizes they should be awarded him. After discussion it was agreed to leave the matter in the hands of the Directors to deal with.

A report from the secretary bearing on question effecting the welfare of the Society was read. In this report one matter which caused some discussion was the question of members of the Society living near the Bowden Centre exhibiting in the standing grain competition in another Society. Mr Loughheed rose and explained he had himself done so but at the time he entered in the Innisfail Society he could not learn that Bowden intended holding a competition.

On motion by Messrs Teeling and Diehl the matter was left in the hands of the Directors to deal with.

Mr Roberts complained that certain prizes won by him had not been paid. These prizes having been omitted from the judges score book. On motion by Messrs Hiltz and Whitlock it was decided to pay this premium.

A communication was read from Jessie Shenfield re prize money claimed due her and on motion by Teeling and Hiltz the matter was left to the Secretary to deal with.

A communication was read from Supt of fairs re date of seed fair for 1912 and on motion by Messrs Whitlock and Teeling it was decided to hold seed fair about the 1st of Feb and that Dept be asked to regulate the price of grain offered for sale and also to demand a 75 percent germinating test.

A further communication was read from Supt of Fairs re judges of last Fair and on motion by Messrs Hiltz and Skinner it was agreed that in the opinion of this meeting the judges provided were satisfactory and that the appointment of judges by the Dept should be continued.

The following were elected officers for the ensuing year.

E. Gilliland Pres on motion by Teeling and Hiltz.

Vice Presidents Messrs Loughheed and Teeling.

Directors: H. Diehl, W. Wilson, W. Cranston, W. Hiltz, H. Taylor, J. Black, W. Rutledge, E. Walton, W. Walton.

On motion by Hiltz and Taylor Messrs E. J. Buchanan and G. Christie were elected auditors. On motion by Messrs Whitlock and McLean it was decided not to send delegates to coming convention owing to present state of finances.

### RECEIPTS

Government grant for Exhibitors	260.00
Government grant for Membership and	
Industrial work	221.55
Membership fees 1911	52.00
Donation in Cash	8.00
Entry fee Agricultural	74.40
Entry fund from	
Competition	22.00
Gate Receipts	17.40
Advertisements and	
Prize list	48.95
Note discounted	704.58
Balance due Treasurer	31.58

### EXPENDITURES

Balance due Treasurer 1910	16.46
Prizes at Exhibition	451.25
Fund from Competition	115.00
School Prizes	18.00
Seed Fair	102.00
Exp Institute meeting	4.50
Interest Paid	10.20
Printing	59.65
Postage and Stationary	8.93
Advertising	16.60
Salaries 1910 & 11	100.00
Notes repaid	454.80
Rent	45.13
Membership fee A F A	2.00
Delegates Exp Convs	9.00
Judge Exp	3.56
Work on grounds and teaming	10.65
Sundries	7.95

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## The Power of Steam

A Story Showing How It May Be  
Used as a Weapon of Defense

By Jack Tomlinson

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Many people nowadays consider the perils of the sea to be due to the sea alone. The time of piracy—being wrecked on a shore and falling into the hands of savages or being eaten by cannibals—is supposed now to belong to the past. This is not the case. There are pirates today on the coast of China and on the Malay archipelago, and as for falling into the hands of savages, and that within twelve months past, I have such a story to tell myself.

I was second officer of the American tramp steamer Evelyn Hope. We were running along the coast of British East Africa, giving the shore as we thought a wide berth, beaten by a high wind and seas off the Indian ocean.

It was very early in the morning that the wind suddenly ceased. And it was lucky that it did so, for our bow ran upon a coral and sand beach. We tried to back off, but our engines were not strong enough, and we were obliged to wait for daylight in order to see where we were and adopt more strenuous means for getting free.

When the dawn came we found ourselves on the shore of an uninhabited island. We at once set about cutting our keel anchors and making other preparations to pull us off. I was ordered to go ashore with a crew of six men and try for some game that we might have fresh meat. We found plenty of wild animals and birds on the island and were fast getting a supply of both when we heard a shout from the man we had left on the shore with the boat. Hurrying to the



"I GAVE HIM A DOSE OF STEAM."

beach, we saw five large canoes, each containing some forty negroes, pulling toward the Evelyn Hope.

Of course we got into our boat at once and raced with the blacks for the vessel. When they saw that we would reach it before them they lay on their oars and contented themselves with observing our movements.

They watched us all the afternoon, and our captain concluded that they were waiting for the darkness, when they would attack us, and if they captured our ship we would all doubtless be murdered. We secured the vessel for arms, and all we found was a shot gun, a rifle and two revolvers. We had a dozen white seamen aboard and a mixture of copper colored men, mostly Malays. Late in the afternoon the blacks sent a boat toward us, probably to draw our fire and discover how strong we were. At the sight of the negro warriors our Asiatics howled so with fright that the captain ordered them all below. We did not gratify the blacks by firing at them.

Our chance for our lives looked very small. Our armament wouldn't afford a weapon each to our white crew. As for the rest, they were not worth aiming. Suddenly I thought of a weapon that would serve us better than powder and ball. We had plenty of hose aboard, and it occurred to me to couple it to the boilers and fight the blacks with steam.

What frightened our men was that some of them remembered that several years ago a French ship had gone ashore on this or another island on this very part of the coast and the natives had massacred all on board. The outlook with a couple of hundred black devils waiting for night to come to treat us the same way was, to say the least, not reassuring, especially since our principal weapon was steam.

We calculated that it would be high tide about 9 o'clock in the evening. If we weren't captured before that there

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was a possibility of our sliding off into deep water. Once free we could put on steam and sail away without molestation. But the blacks knew this as well as we and were not likely to delay their attack till the tide helped us off.

Fortunately the weather, which had been thick when we struck and continued thick, cleared at sunset, and there was a three-quarter moon in the east.

We had counted on this to help us even more than the tide, for with its light we could see our enemies. Without it they could climb to our decks under cover of the darkness and overpower us by force of numbers.

Our luckiest find in the way of defense was some barbed wire fencing stowed away in the cargo. We stretched it around the gunwale. We didn't consider it sufficient to keep off an enemy, but excellent for purposes of delay. We put two rows, one above the other, from stern to midships in order to make it easier for the blacks to attack us aft, thus concentrating them to our advantage.

We had two couplings on the boilers and hose enough to reach any part of the ship from both couplings. By sunset we had all our dispositions made. The captain was in command. The first officer was to work the port and I the starboard hose. The arms were distributed among the white crew. The Asiatics were kept in the hold.

As the evening approached they began to cry to be let out, not relishing being murdered like rats in a trap. And they also feared that the blacks might set the ship afire or let the water in on them to drown them. We paid no attention to them, and they finally became more quiet.

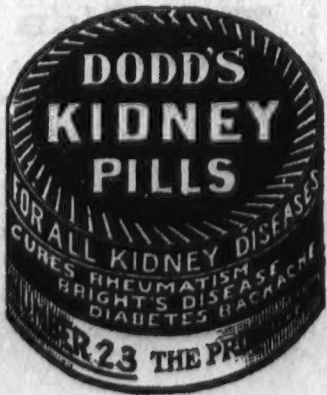
Long before the sun surrendered the day to the moon we had everything in readiness to repel boarders. Openings were left in the fencing, which was closely woven, with a barb on top, so that we could fire at our enemies as well as keep them from getting at us. When there was only moonlight a dark cloud rolled over our big round lantern and hid it. As it was being obscured we saw every canoe pulled furiously toward us.

It seemed to me that we fifteen white men opposed to more than three times their number of strong men armed with spears they were used to handling, besides probably some fire arms, had a very small chance for our lives. We were supported, however, by faith in our arrangements for their reception, and if we could reach them with our steam jets we had confidence in its power to harm them considerably.

Now and again while our enemies were pulling toward us a thin part of the cloud passing over the moon would give us some light. The coming canoes and their loads were black as Erebus, though here and there we would see a flash when the moonlight struck a shield or a steel weapon. Nearer came the black death till the canoes reached a point a cable's length from us. Two pulled to port, two to starboard and one toward the stern.

I wondered how they proposed to board us, for we had been careful to leave nothing hanging for them to take hold of. As soon as they came beside us and under our stern we learned their method. They were provided with ropes of their own making—of what material I did not know—and at the end of each was a sort of V made from a forking branch, one side being free to form a hook. They no sooner came near enough than they began to throw these V's to catch on the gunwale. But here our wire fencing stood in our way. The blacks found it impossible to get an attachment except at the openings, which had purposely left for our own action.

Standing at my post with my nozzle, I saw one of the canoes come toward me, and its crew, seeing a single man apparently unarmed to defend the opening, pulled directly under me. One of them threw a V, which caught on the gunwale, and a black came quickly up, climbing hand over hand.



I gave him a dose of steam right in the face.

With a wild shriek, he dropped into the boat. I dared not remain exposed to a spear thrown from below; but, sighting the position of the boat, I reached out with the nozzle in my hand and poured a stream of hot vapor into it. Knowing by their yells that they were in distress, I made bold to lean over the ship's side and turn the stream from one end of the canoe to the other.

For awhile the blacks were too paralyzed to act; then every one who had not been severely scalded jumped into the water, leaving the wounded in the boat to drift away. Of course as soon as they were put out of the fight I desisted.

Meanwhile the first officer was having a similar experience with the blacks on the other side, as I well knew from the yells coming from that direction. I had no sooner driven off my enemies than I was ordered by the captain to the stern, where several blacks had already climbed up and were jumping down on the deck. I did not need to go to them. I simply turned a steam jet on them. Some fell on the deck; others managed to get over the tuffall and down into their canoe or the water.

And so at every point we achieved an easy victory without firing a shot. Great is the power of steam. Since our triumph on the African coast with no other weapon I have wondered why military men should not place boilers with hose attachments in fortifications for the close work. Might it not be made as effective as a Gatling gun?

As we saw the canoes pulling away to get rid of the dreadful hot water we felt our ship sliding off the reef. A cheer both for our victory and for the friendly ride that had freed us went up, doubtless the greatest noise from the mingling of human voices that had ever been heard on that silent shore. In a few minutes we were in deep water, and instead of using our steam to scald negroes we moved away under it toward a friendly port. I've been through hurricanes and been wrecked on a deserted island, but never in all my sailor life have I been so scared as when those blacks were waiting for darkness to come aboard and murder us.

### Woman.

To man a woman is a source  
Of constant glad surprise.  
He always finds new meanings in  
The riddle of her eyes.  
And, though at times she will not do  
As he would fain demand her,  
He likes her all the more because  
He cannot understand her.

She fascinates him every time  
And wins him with her will.  
She drives him to despair, and then  
She cheers him with her smile.  
And, though she sometimes is perverse,  
Though he at times may flout her,  
Of this you may be very sure—  
He'll never do without her.  
—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

### Near the End.

"Hello, Thirty-nine," said the first messenger boy to the other, who was just starting out with a message.  
"How far have you got to go?"  
"Oh," replied Thirty-nine, pulling out his book, "only about six chapters! I'm just where Handsome Harry gets on the villain's trail."—Catholic Standard and Times.

### A Hit.

I tacked a bullseye on my heart  
And told the girls to shoot.  
They borrowed each a Cupid's dart  
And Cupid's wheel to boot.  
May hit the widest circle fair;  
I was struck outside the ring;  
He pulled the cord with eager care,  
But did not hit a thing.

When pretty Julia bent the bow—  
It was only truth to tell—  
She shut her eyes and let her go,  
And—well, she rang the bell.  
—L. S. Waterhouse in Judge's Library.

### First Lesson.

Father—Well, Carolyn, how do you like school?  
Carolyn (aged six)—Oh, so much, papa!  
Father—That's right, daughter. And now what have you learned today?  
Carolyn—I've learned the names of all the little boys.—Harper's Bazar.

### Lord Mayor at 81.

London's new lord mayor is Sir Thomas Crosby. He is 81 years old and remarkably preserved. "Take care of your arteries," he advises those who do not wish to die young. "A man is as old as his arteries. If they degenerate you get an effusion of blood on the brain or elsewhere and—crack; you are old at 25. Early to bed; smoke little and drink less."

He—Brown's says he's mad enough to kill his wife.

She—"Will he go home and lick her?"

He—"No, he'll stay down town and liquor."

### The Food Question

Collier's (Canadian edition) of August 26th contains an article entitled "Westfield—A Pure Food Town," which is sure to be interesting to all housekeepers. The people of Westfield (Mass.) woke up to the fact that they were not getting pure food, or pure material for use in food. They do not want, and now will not have, fruits, jams, etc., in which certain preservatives are used, peanuts that have been varnished to make them look nice, etc. Of the groceries tested in the laboratory one of the most frequently adulterated is baking powder. A delightful concoction, known as a tart proved to be puff-paste made with alum, with a jelly centre dyed with coal-tar. The article goes on to say: "So little baking powder is used in some homes that this product would seem comparatively unimportant. But a great deal of baking powder, however, is used in the bought cake and biscuits, and a great deal of this is adulterated." The adulteration may be by ammonia, which is fraudulent but not injurious, or by alum, which is decidedly injurious, as it hardens the tissues of the mucous membranes. As a precaution, look at the label and see if the ingredients are stated. Better refuse it if alum or something that looks like alum (such as alumina) is one of them, or if the ingredients are not stated by the manufacturer it will be well to select some other brand.

Jams, jellies, catsups, confections, gelatines, desert powders, flavoring extracts are often colored with coal-tar dyes. These dyes are sometimes harmless, but very frequently injurious depending on the particular combination. There is one bottle of Creme de Menthe at the Normal School which contains a coal-tar dye sufficiently poisonous to have killed two people. The bottle is almost full but the small amount used caused the death of a man and his wife, and then the product was sent for analysis. Extracts are also adulterated with wood alcohol and with tumeric, a fraudulent adulterant.

No doubt many cities and towns will profit by Westfield's experience and follow its example.—(Canadian Home Journal.)

### Too Smart

Customer—"Do you keep fountain pens?"

Smart Shopman—"No, sir; we sell them."

Customer—"Not always. You will keep the one you might have sold me but for being too smart. Good day, sir."

Collector—"I have a bill against you for \$5."

"That settles it," said the lady, as she dropped an egg in the coffee.

## NERVES ARE EXHAUSTED

And Nervous Prostration or Paralysis  
Are Creeping Steadily Upon You

## Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

You hear of people suddenly falling victims of nervous prostration or some form of paralysis. But when you get all the facts of the case you find they have had months or years of warning.

They haven't slept well. There has been frequent attacks of nervous headache. Digestion has failed. They have been irritable, easily worried and excited and have found memory and concentration failing.

Had they but known that these symptoms tell of exhausted nerves or had they realized their danger they would have restored their feeble, wasted nerves by use of such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

This great restorative treatment cures by forming new, rich blood and by rebuilding the wasted nerve cells. No medicine is more certain to prove beneficial, for each dose adds to the system a certain amount of rich, red blood.

Nervous disease comes on slowly and can only be overcome by patient and persistent treatment. Prevention is always better than cure, and for this reason you should always endeavor to keep the system at high water mark by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food at the first sign of trouble. 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50; at all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

### Whack! Whack!

It seemed positively fiendish cruelty on the part of the village school-master to keep his juvenile class confined to the stuffy little schoolroom on such a sweltering day, but it must be remembered that the poor man was suffering quite as much as they.

Little Willie Thickhead, however, did not realize this, and he was waiting eagerly for a chance to give vent to his feelings.  
And at last he got it.  
"Spell matrimony," said the dominie. And Willie spelt it correctly.  
"That's right, Willie," said he master encouragingly. "Now define it."  
"I don't know exactly what it means," said he wily Willie innocently; "but"—and here all his pent-up resentment gushed forth—"it's the talk of the village that you've got quite enough of it!"

Willie had previously intended going for a drive in a friendly tradesman's cart, but for some mysterious reason he decided, after the lesson, to go swimming instead.

## Cured of Shingles and Eczema



Mr. J. H. Jarvis, Kingston

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"I just want to say a good word for Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In November, 1909, I had what the doctors call shingles and eczema. My chest was raw and bleeding and itchy. I was that way all winter. It was not so bad in the summer. In September it got worse. I had the best doctors treating me, but did me no good, and I was all run down in health. In November, 1910, it got worse again. I sent to you for a sample cake of Cuticura Soap. You sent it to me and I got a box of Cuticura Ointment. I have used two boxes and on the third one it has cured me of shingles and eczema. I am delighted with them and do feel pleased to think I have something I have confidence in. Should anyone be suffering as I did, I hope that they will do as I did, and I am sure of the results. I am recommending them from experience." (Signed) J. H. Jarvis, 7 Ann St., Kingston, Ont., May 30, 1911.

For more than a generation Cuticura Soap and Ointment have afforded the speediest and most economical treatment for itching, burning, scaly and bleeding skin and scalp humors, of young and old. A single set is often sufficient. Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold throughout the world, but to those who have suffered much, lost hope and are without faith in any treatment, a liberal sample of each with 32-p. booklet on the skin will be mailed free, on application. Address: Foster Drug & Chemical Co., 26 Columbus Ave., Boston, U. S. A.



Think of That  
"Why is it, doctor," groaned the victim, "that a tooth has to have a nerve?"  
"My dear sir," soothingly answered the man with the forceps, "there wouldn't be a dental college in all this broad world if it wasn't for the nerves in teeth."

You can only make a guess at many things; but at least have sense enough to make the best guess possible.

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## BRITAIN AND GERMANY

SIR EDWARD GREY MAKES A  
FORCIBLE SPEECH

In the House of Commons the Foreign Secretary makes a complete statement of negotiations with the German ambassador—He unflinchingly upheld the attitude taken by the British Government.

London.—That relations between France, Germany and Britain are still "serious and delicate," was admitted in the House of Commons by Foreign Secretary Grey in making the long heralded speech regarding the Moroccan situation.

The foreign secretary reviewed the whole Moroccan episode from the sudden appearance of the German gunboat Panther in the port of Agadir, in Southern Morocco up to the signing of the Franco-German treaty.

He unflinchingly upheld the attitude taken by the British government, but at the same time declared that its action was never antagonistic to Germany or to any settlement she was able to arrange with France, and which did not threaten the rights of Great Britain. Sir Edward Grey made no secret of the fact that the situation had at one time been very tense, but thought his statements would prove a sedative to a world which had been indulging in a fit of political alcoholism and that the time had arrived for it to get and to keep cool and sober.

At the outset Sir Edward told the House that Herr Von Kiderlen-Waechter's disclosure of the conversations which had taken place between the German ambassador and himself had taken him by surprise. In diplomatic procedure it was most unusual to make public any such conversations without consulting the other party, and knew nothing whatever of Herr Von Kiderlen-Waechter's intention until he read the published account.

He did not make any complaint, however, as he understood the exigencies of the situation in Germany precluded any such consultation.

Herr Von Kiderlen-Waechter's statement was not complete so that he (Sir Edward Grey) was under no necessity of putting the part taken by the British foreign office before the House of Commons in a fuller manner.

The communication made to the British foreign office by the German ambassador, Count Paul Wolff-Meternich on July 1 in regard to the despatch of the German gunboat Panther to Agadir, in southern Morocco, and the ambassador's explanation in regard to that matter, continued Sir Edward Grey, made it clear that Germany regarded a return to the status quo in Morocco as impossible, and that Germany's real object was a definite solution of the whole Moroccan question.

On July 3, Sir Edward Grey informed the German ambassador that the situation created by the despatch of the Panther to Agadir was so serious and important that it must be discussed at a cabinet council, and on July 4 he told Count Meternich that Great Britain was not able to take up a disinterested attitude concerning Morocco, nor to recognize any new arrangement came to without her consent.

A silence followed, and the next conversation between Sir Edward Grey and Count Wolff-Meternich took place on July 21, when the British foreign secretary told the German ambassador that the British government adhered to his statement made on July 4. Sir Edward Grey and Count Wolff-Meternich on that occasion that a rectification of the Congo frontier was proposed as the basis of a settlement between Germany and France, and said he thought the matter might be arranged on such a basis without affecting British interests.

"We shall be very glad if this happens, and in that hope that it would happen, we have hitherto stood on one side," Sir Edward Grey said to ambassador and continued, "but I had been made anxious by the news regarding the demands which the German government had made from the French government, which in effect meant a cession of the French Congo, and which it was obviously impossible for the French government to concede. I pointed out that the Germans were in the closed port of Agadir, that they were landing and negotiating with the tribes and for all we knew might be acquiring concessions. It might also be that the German flag had been hoisted at Agadir, which is the most suitable port on that coast for a naval base."

Sir Edward Grey pointed out to Count Wolff-Meternich that in the event of the negotiations with France failing Great Britain would be obliged to take some step in order to protect British interests.

The German ambassador was not in a position to impart any information to the British foreign office, but he depreciated the assumption of possible damage to British interests and said he was sure that his government had no intention of acquiring commercial monopolies.

## November Was a Good Month

Ottawa.—Customs figures for November totalled \$7,383,085, an increase of \$1,307,303 over November, 1910. For the first eight months of the fiscal year collections have been \$56,336,708, an increase of \$8,939,900 over same period last year.

## TELLS HOW IT WAS DONE

J. E. Maynard Describes His Method  
of Raising Prize Winning  
Wheat

Among the guests of honor at the banquet to Seager Wheeler, who won the first prize of \$1,000, was J. E. Maynard, of Delmar, Man., winner of the third prize for the best sample of hard red wheat at the recent land show in Madison Square garden, New York city. Mr. Maynard was one of the early settlers in the province of Manitoba, having gone there and taken up a squatter's claim before the Dominion government survey was completed.

"I have been growing that same seed for 14 years now," declared Mr. Maynard, and I believe the secret of my success is that I have been exceedingly careful about selecting my seed and I believe that this is the most important of all things in the growing of good grain.

Fourteen years ago a man named Harkney brought a carload of Red Fyfe seed wheat into Manitoba from Minneapolis. Mr. Maynard bought some of this and has been reseeded from it each year for 14 years, and during that time he has captured \$2,300 worth of prizes, besides four silver trophies and four sweepstakes, two at Winnipeg and two at Brandon.

"You had better say that it was on my son's farm that the prize grain was grown," declared Mr. Maynard, who celebrated his 80th birthday last year. "You ought to give my son, Thomas Maynard, the credit, for he does all the work and grows all the grain now."

"A farmer should always keep a good supply of seed on hand, so that when a bad season comes and the season is poor he will always have good seed to plant for the next year," he said. "I have planted the very best I could get always and whenever our grain was particularly good I put aside sufficient to last for a number of years if necessary."

The process of agriculture employed on the Maynard farm is not unusual. The seed was sown three inches deep by a press drill. When it had come above the ground a harrow was passed over the field once and then, with good weather conditions, Mr. Maynard always had a good harvest, so he declares.

Never has he sown wheat on a piece of land oftener than once every three years. After a crop of wheat he grows oats or other grain, and then summer fallows one season.

## THREE YEARS FOR ARSON

Samuel C. Wilson Was Found Guilty  
by Jury in Sensational  
Case

Red Deer.—In the case of Samuel C. Wilson, charged with arson, the jury, after considerable debating, brought in a verdict of guilty, and a sentence of three years in the penitentiary was the decision of the judge. The defence has decided to appeal the case and the appeal will likely be heard next month.

Wilson was put in the box. He said Mr. McIntosh had control of the management of the Lacombe Produce company and he knew nothing of the business nor the amount of the stock or what insurance was carried and he said he had never instructed Mr. McIntosh to raise the valuation of the stock thirty per cent, and insure for one hundred per cent. of this valuation. He positively denied the evidence in reference to the burning of the house in Calgary.

He said Mrs. Girvin never had his consent to go to Lacombe. He did not know she had gone and had never given her the key. The accused's evidence all the way through was contradictory to the evidence of the witnesses for the crown. The judge's charge to the jury was very fair, and, if anything, was in favor of the accused.

## Railways Rushing Crops to Lakes

Winnipeg.—The Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern railways are engaged in a battle against time to get the western crop to the head of the lakes, before navigation closes.

J. T. Arundel, general superintendent of the C. P. R., is in his private car in the yards to rush things through. It is affirmed that the congestion in the Winnipeg yards, which up to a short time ago, was relieved up transportation, is now holding, though it is admitted that the cars on the sidings of the Saskatchewan branches will not be through to the lakes in time to catch water transportation. It is, however, asserted forcibly that there is plenty of room in the terminal elevators to hold the crop until the opening of navigation in the spring.

## Germany To Give Britain a Chance

Berlin.—Imperial Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg and Foreign Secretary Von Kiderlen-Waechter will reply in the reichstag in the course of the next week to the speech on the Morocco situation made by Foreign Secretary Edward Grey in the house of Commons recently. It may be that one or both of the German statesmen will indicate an opportunity to manifest its good will to Germany either in connection with the Bagdad railway, or with the consolidation of the German colonial empire in Africa by cessions of Belgian or Portuguese territory.

People don't even admire a man who claims he loves his enemy, to say nothing of believing him.

## McNAMARA TRIAL ENDS

JAMES McNAMARA CONFESSES TO  
TERRIBLE CRIME

Says He Owned Up to Save Life of Brother—Believed He Will be Sentenced to Life Imprisonment—Complete Network of Evidence About Him—Brother Will Get a Short Sentence.

Los Angeles.—James B. McNamara, through counsel, pleaded guilty to the murder of Charles J. Haggerty, a machinist killed in the explosion which wrecked the Times, October 1, 1910. McNamara, with his brother John J., were jointly indicted for the murder of 19 of the 21 Times victims. Just before the time of the reconvening of the court, a big crowd surged into the chamber. Almost the entire staff of the district attorney's office came to the court room. The enclosure where the attorneys were seated was also crowded, with their friends, it being evident that a big sensation was expected. John J. McNamara pleaded guilty to aiding in the destruction of the plant.

John McNamara entered the court unhandcuffed, and took a seat near his brother. Attorney James Scott sat with his arms around the prisoner, John J. was smiling and chewing gum.

Attorney Davis of the defence began: "After long consideration, your honor, we have concluded to withdraw the plea of not guilty against James B. and we would like to have John J. tried." District Attorney Fredericks arose and the prisoner did likewise.

"You have been arraigned, Mr. James B. McNamara," said Fredericks, "and have heretofore entered a plea of not guilty. Do you answer guilty?"

"Yes," answered James B. McNamara.

"The McNamara's have pleaded guilty because they were guilty," was District Attorney John D. Fredericks' comment.

"If I'd have seen any way out of it, we would not have done it," said Attorney Clarence S. Darrow, after court. "We've had it under consideration since a week ago. I'm glad it's over with," said Mr. Darrow with a sigh. "We've been working on this for two weeks, and it has been the greatest strain of my life. The dynamite in the Los Angeles Times was blown up by James B. McNamara with nitro-glycerine, to be sure, but the touch-off was caused by the gas, and the gas really did it."

District Attorney Fredericks intimated he would recommend life imprisonment for James B., and that John J. probably would have to serve a short term.

## ASQUITH GETS HOWLED DOWN

Premier Asquith Leaves the Church in  
Disgrace—Every Person Was  
Greatly Annoyed

London, Eng.—Suffragettes in pursuance of the policy of militant tactics recently revived entered the City Temple and by noisy interruption prevented Premier Asquith from delivering a speech on settlement work. The premier, after repeated efforts to get a hearing, left the church in disgrace.

The trouble began as soon as Mr. Asquith mounted the rostrum. Scores of women greeted him with cries of "Votes for women," one of their number chained herself to a pillar and was removed only after a violent struggle during which the audience was in an uproar. James Ramsay MacDonald, the labor leader, who spoke after Mr. Asquith had left, described the scene as an insult to the prime minister and a degradation to English public life.

## CHANGES IN IMMIGRATION LAW

Chinese Children Cannot Come to  
Canada at All Without Pay-  
ment of the Head Tax

Vancouver, B.C.—Instructions from Ottawa to the local department of immigration, calls attention to an important change in the regulations for the admission of Mongolians. Under that act, as it stood for some time, those entitled to admission are merchants, their wives and minor children, and necessary entourage, and clergymen, with their wives and children. Hereafter, all Chinese children, regardless of whether they may later become students, must pay the full head tax of five hundred dollars. One hundred and seventy-eight Chinese are now attending Vancouver schools. During November two hundred and twenty Chinese entered at the port of Vancouver. Not a single Japanese or Hindu arrived.

## Asks for Settlement of All Disputes

Ottawa.—The United States government, through correspondence with the department of justice here are pressing for the creation of an international tribunal in order that several outstanding questions between the two countries may be adjusted without unnecessary delay. It will be remembered that in 1907 the Hague tribunal gave as its decision that all outstanding claims which included fishery, and boundary disputes, as well as several private matters should go to an international tribunal, with representatives of Great Britain and Canada, another for the United States and one entirely disinterested on the question or claims.

## ENGLISH PRIMATE ON CANADA

Archbishop of Canterbury Says No-  
thing Like Its Growth Has Ever  
Happened

London.—No man in England is more enthusiastic about the future of Canada than the Archbishop of Canterbury, and in an address delivered at Edinburgh the other day he spoke with reference to the position in the empire she would occupy before long.

"As compared with any other place or part of the whole world in its relation to our land and to our personal responsibility there is literally nothing to compare with what is happening in Western Canada today," he said, "and nothing that the world has dreamt of in its ultimate possibilities of wealth, in growth, and in rapidity of distribution equals the condition in Canada."

Mr. J. W. Gulland, Scottish Radical whip, on his return from Canada gave to his constituents his impressions of the Dominion.

He never met a single Canadian, he declared, who asked that England should give them a preference in its markets for their goods. In Canada there was a feeling of the warmest loyalty for this country.

"The Canadians," he said, "realized how much we are giving them with the constant stream of the best people in our country. Surely there is no greater gift we could give them. I think there are far too many going to Canada and the people who are leaving our shores are not crude and useless people, but people upon whom we have spent a great deal in educating and training. We are sending out there the finished product of our race."

## GOOD PRICES FOR FAT CATTLE

Quality of Beef Offered to Consumers  
Better Than Ever Before in  
History of West

Calgary.—Because the farmers of the Canadian West have been resorting to stable feeding to prepare their cattle for the market, the quality of Christmas beef to be offered to the consumer on the local markets this year will be better than ever before in the history of the west.

Until recently western cattle men shipped their cattle to home and foreign markets straight from the range without any special preparation. This did not do justice to western beef. Now, however, all over the west, ranchers and farmers are stable feeding thousands of cattle in preparation for the markets.

The excessive moisture during the past summer, which injured the grain seriously, caused a luxuriant growth of wild grasses on the prairie and cattle have been able to obtain abundant food without any effort. This has fattened them as they seldom have been fattened and with a few weeks' stable feeding, has given the west a stock of Christmas beef par excellence.

So good have been the prices offered on Canadian markets this year that little Canadian beef has been finding its way abroad.

## CATTLE ARE IN FINE CONDITION

Stood the Cold Weather Very Well  
and Prices are Better  
Than Ever

Calgary.—The cattle of Southern Alberta are in splendid condition, although the recent cold weather has somewhat reduced them in flesh, said W. R. Hull, who returned recently from a visit to his ranch, where he superintended the shipment of 1,000 head of beef cattle. "I found," said Mr. Hull, "a considerable falling off in the weight of the cattle from our first shipments owing to the storm. Feed is plentiful, but with beef cattle that are ready for shipment the cold weather makes a considerable difference in their weight." Prices, he said, are better than in any former year, and owing to the splendid grass they are in a much better condition.

Hull and Co. have a lease on the old Waldron ranch between the Porcupine and Livingstone ranges, where they are ranging their stock in winter, and also on the Oxley ranch. "There appears to be a great scarcity of breeding stock throughout the country," said Mr. Hull, "and unless some more attention is paid to this department of stock-raising, I anticipate that beef will be very scarce in Alberta in the near future."

## Explosion on the Maine

Havana.—It has already been amply demonstrated to the Inspection Board that the Maine was destroyed by an explosion which occurred under the ship a little to the port of the keel, between 28 and 30, where the outside skin was blown up and doubled over towards the starboard by the first explosion. After this the transverse armor bulkhead was blown up from frame 24 by a second explosion and buried itself in the mud through the hole left by the first explosion, which removed that part of the bottom of the vessel.

## In Memory of Canadian

London, England.—Officers of Aldershot command have erected a monument over the grave of Lieut. Roy Madrice Gzowski, of Canada, who died there during the visit last year. The monument is terra cotta figures representing fortitude, self-sacrifice, also Canada and Britain. The inscription says it is a token of fellowship which binds England to Canada and all soldiers of the empire to one another.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON XI.—FOURTH QUARTER,  
FOR DEC. 10, 1911.

Text of the Lesson, Neh. vi, 1-12.  
Memory Verse, 11—Golden Text, Ps. xxvii, 1—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Chapter v tells of a great wrong among the Jews themselves, for some were holding mortgages on the lands and houses of their poorer brethren and lending money at a high rate, while for twelve years Nehemiah as governor had refused to be chargeable to the people or to take any thing from them. On the contrary, he tied at his own table 150 Jews and rulers besides those who came from the nations about them, and all this at his own expense.

Chapter vi is a record of his enemies from without who earnestly sought to do him personal harm. First they thought to do him mischief by enticing him to meet them in one of the villages in the plain of Ono. It is ever true that the wicked plotteth against the just, watcheth the righteous and seeketh to slay him (Ps. xxxvii, 12, 32). But the Lord shall laugh at him, for He seeth that his day is coming. Every child of God must expect to be hated by the world and to suffer tribulation and persecution (John xv, 18-20; xvi, 33; 11 Tim iii, 12), and it should be accepted as a gift from God and a special privilege (Phil. i, 29; 1 Pet. iv, 12, 13).

Nehemiah's reply to the first temptation, in verse 3, is worthy of imitation by all earnest Christian workers who are asked to turn aside from that to which God has called them: "I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down. Why should the work cease while I leave it and come down to you?" It is always a wrong kind of coming down to leave any work directly for God, which He has entrusted to us, to confer with worldlings or even to attend some kinds of committee meetings or so called ministers' meetings which do not profit. All coming down from any form of pride or self is always right and profitable, for our highest place is lying low at our Redeemer's feet, and the Lord alone must be exalted, and with Him alone must we be occupied.

Four times they tried in a similar way to entice him, but he was enabled to resist them every time (verse 4). An old lady who endeavored to find something good in every one and everything was once asked if she ever saw anything good in the devil. She thoughtfully replied, "Well, he is very persistent." These enemies of Nehemiah were evidently in his employ. As to Nehemiah, he was steadfast, unmovable, abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that his labor was not in vain in the Lord (1 Cor. xv, 58).

The fifth temptation was in the form of an open letter by Sanballat's servant, in which was written a report that Nehemiah and the Jews thought to rebel and make Nehemiah king, and therefore they had built the wall and appointed prophets to preach that he was king in Jerusalem. Because these things would be reported to the king at Babylon he was invited to meet these friends (?) and take counsel together about the matter, for of course it would grieve them to see such a good man as Nehemiah in any trouble. The lie factory, under the superintendence of the father of lies, has been at work ever since the business started in Eden so long ago, and every child of God must expect to have some turned out for his special benefit.

Their object at this time was to make Nehemiah and the people afraid of being reported to the king and thus to weaken their hands. But Nehemiah had no guilt on his conscience in this matter and nothing to fear. He returned answer, "There are no such things done as thou sayest, but thou feignest them out of thine own heart" (verses 8, 9). So he trusted God to strengthen his hands. Adam was afraid and tried to hide from God (Gen. iii, 10), but he was guilty. God does not give His people a spirit of fear (11 Tim. i, 7), and our Golden Text should be the bold utterance of every believer. Even worse than these enemies of Nehemiah were the false prophets in the days of Jeremiah, who in the name of the Lord were prophets of the deceit of their own heart, speaking a vision of their own heart, causing the people to err by their lies and by their lightness (Jer. xxiii, 16, 26, 32). What shall be said of the false teachers of today, who with all the increased light of the New Testament speak lies out of their own heart in the name of the Lord? What- ever is not according to Scripture is a lie.

The next step of the enemy was to entice Nehemiah to meet them in the house of God and shut the doors of the temple lest he should be slain (verse 10). But Nehemiah perceived that this messenger was hired by Tobiah and Sanballat to make him afraid, so that they might have matter for an evil report against him. Nehemiah's reply is again brave and full of confidence in God: "Should such a man as I fear? And who is here that, being as I am, would go into the temple to save his life? I will not go in" (verse 11). So he handed Tobiah and Sanballat and the Prophetsess Nodiah and all the rest of his enemies over to God (verse 14). See in verses 17-19 how many of the nobles in Judah were in league with Tobiah, hypocrites and busybodies.

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—BY—  
**Mr C. P. Anderson**

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The writer wonders why people do not use more rye for food as it is no doubt a healthy cereal especially if used in the form of graham flour. Look at the people coming from Russia, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Austria and Poland who live mainly upon rye, graham bread. See how healthy strong and robust they are when they first come to this country; but after a few years they as a rule lose some of their healthy appearance and I think exclusive use of fine wheat bread has something to do with it. Of course I know the women like to have nice white bread, cakes, pies and so forth all of which are very pleasing but not so healthy as graham bread.

I am sure if people would make up their mind to use graham they would find it both healthy and agreeable regardless of its looks.

If we look at it from another side; the economical part of view.

Rye is easier for the farmer to raise as it yields more to the acre and can be raised on ground where wheat is impossible. As to prices I just noticed that rye is selling now for 61 cts per bushel in Winnipeg and in Minneapolis 86 cts.

This is just as much as wheat is selling at and there for why should not more rye be raised?

Another thing I think is also out of proportion too; for instance; for about 75 cts per bushel and the best grade of flour at \$3.40. It takes 2 and a half bus of wheat to make 100 lbs of flour. 2 and a half bus at 75 cts per bus is \$187.50, 100 lbs of flour \$340. A difference of \$153 while the miller has the bran besides. There is at least 40 lbs of bran worth say 1 ct a lb which makes a difference between wheat and flour of \$1.93 in favor of the miller and the miller-man. Why can not the farmers club together and build a mill of their own especially where water power is available. I know years ago before the roller mills came in to use I could load as much wheat as I wanted and go to the mill with it and have it ground. The miller would take his toll which was 8 lbs to the bus. Suppose now, we give the miller 10 lbs to the bus as toll.

At the rate in price at 75 cts per bus that would be 12 1/2 cts or for 2 1/2 bus 31 1/2 cts which is also the cost of 100 lbs of flour.

Now the difference between the cost of flour when we buy it at 3, 40 per 100 lbs and when we have it ground at 31 1/2 cts is approximately \$3.09. By having it ground we would also have the grindings and bran ourselves which would bring the difference up to 3.49.

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2 .....	62
3 .....	59
4 .....	50
5 .....	41
6 .....	37

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2 .....	74
3 .....	66
4 .....	55
5 .....	45
6 .....	37
1 Rej Northern.....	62
2 .....	59
3 .....	54
Feed.....	35
Oats 38 and over.....	23
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J. C. Green, a sufferer from Rheumatism and Lumbago for five years, finds quick relief and complete cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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An interview with an engineer given recently in a western paper to the effect that there is abundant timber on the line of the Hudson Bay Railway is an illustration of the misapprehension in regard to the matter that exists in the public mind. Because there are large areas of land in the north on which there is timber of some kind the conclusion is reached that it is all of present value and that the country has an unlimited supply. As a matter of fact a careful inspection of the timber along the line of the Hudson Bay Railway made in the years 1910 and 1911, by the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior, shows that there is not enough mature timber along the line of that railway to build the road. There are no prairie districts of any extent along the route, there are trees everywhere, but owing to repeated fires the forest is, except on the nearest fraction of the area, too small for commercial purposes and unless it can be protected from fire until it reaches maturity, will never be of any use to the country. Explorations in other parts of the northern forested districts tell the same tale. Everywhere fire has worked havoc, and the forest is a mere wreck of what it might have been if fires could be prevented. And unless adequate measures are taken now to protect young and immature forests which form the major part of the stand, the outlook for the future is none too good.

If the northern forests are to continue to be a permanent source of wealth to the country it is absolutely necessary that the fire ranging system should be extended and that proper methods of management of the forest should be applied and public education to the value of the forest is even more necessary.

In Sweden, which has large extents of northern forest, practically uninhabited, similar to those in northern Canada, has about eliminated the fire danger in such districts mainly by educating her people to the value of the forests.

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Glancing down at Mickey, Pat replies: "And why shouldn't he, ain't he nearer to it?"

### Why She Waited

A very amusing incident occurred at the entrance to a church one Sunday morning.

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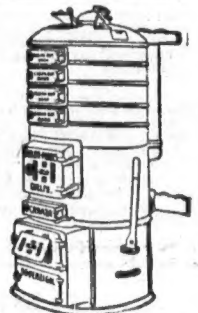
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Application for a lease must be made to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the right applied for are situated.

Unsurveyed territory the land must be described by sections or legal subdivisions of sections and in unsurveyed territory the track applied for shall be staked out.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mines shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns, monthly, accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty hereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.

The Minister may reserve for an applicant the coal mining rights under 2500 acres of contiguous lands for two years. Application for such right must be made to the Agent. Fee \$100.00. An application at the rate of \$1 an acre per annum, respecting by recognized methods, must be made.

Full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY  
Deputy Minister of the Interior

## Synopsis of Canadian North West Land Regulations

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn home homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

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District Passenger Agent

CALGARY ALBERTA

## Olds News

Harry Collins was down from  
Bowden Wednesday.

H Clair Brumpton of Trentville  
is in Olds.

Joe Bame has taken Clarence  
Ralph's place at Wolfred's barber  
shop.

Mr and Mrs B Forman left for  
Colona, B. C. where they will reside  
for the present at least.

Earl Brower was an Innisfail  
visitor on the 15th.

E D Langdon was in Didsbury  
Wednesday.

Joseph Johnson was a Calgary  
visitor part of this week.

M A Peterson left for Innisfail  
on the 11th Maryon has opened a  
shooting gallery there.

Mr William Davy left for Van-  
couver B C, where he will spend  
the winter.

Born:- to Mr and Mrs J Harbin-  
son a son on Monday the 11th.

Mr G Herdman is just complet-  
ing a fine large hay barn on the  
corner of R Y Ave 2nd st east.

The results of the municipal el-  
ection held in Olds Monday are as  
follows:-

Mayor:- J W Silverthorn.  
Councillors:- Dr H P Kenney, H  
A Samis, I James, I Wolfred.

The votes were for Mayor, Sil-  
verthorn 63. J Duff 44.

For Councillors Kenney 98, Sam-  
is 65, Wolfred 65, T G Weston 32  
I W Puffor 47, P Jeffery A Sam-  
is and M Maybank have got a year  
to serve.

Charles Gibert and J F Winters  
left Sunday night for a trip through  
the States.

Dan Bloxham narrowly escaped  
a very serious accident 8 miles  
west of town Wednesday. He was  
driving a 4 horse load in the  
coulee near Allwardts when the load  
upset and through him heavily  
to the ground. He was unconscious  
for some time.

Mr J I Brewster of Calgary was  
in town Monday attending a mason  
ic banquet here.

The Seed Fair in connection  
with the Bowden Agricultural So-  
ciety was held in Mc Cue's Hall  
on Jan 17 1912.

We received this week a News  
item from an unknown author an-  
nouncing a marriage which took  
place Dec 11 at the Manse, Innis-  
fail. The News will be pleased at  
all times to publish news items of  
this kind but requests that the par-  
ty contributing them would sign  
his name to the article.

This precaution we are forced to  
take as a protection to ourselves.

## The City Meat Market

Wishes all its Patrons  
who desire a Christmas  
Turkey to leave their  
order with them early  
next week as they will  
not stock fowl only to  
order

### Fresh Oysters

Choice Cuts of Beef  
Pork, Mutton, and Sau-  
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# CHRISTMAS!

## What Joy the Very Word Brings

T'is at this time we turn from Selfishness and try and make  
others happy; and how this brings happiness unto ourselves.  
Have you not someone to whom you wish to give a present?  
What shall your present be; useful things?

Handsome net waists, silk lined  
kimmona sleeves, with lace  
trimmings. every color. Our  
Special - - - 2.50

Black Messaline silk Waists--  
fancy button trimmings. Spe-  
cial Xmas Price 4.50

Black net waist kimmona sleeves handsome silk lace trimmings  
Xmas Price

## Ready-to-wear Dresses

That will appeal to you for making the housewife a present that  
will not be forgotten and especially when you can buy  
at prices that would scarcely pay for Making

1 only Brown Velvet Dress, size 36, silk  
lace yoke, covered bottom and  
piping trimmed regular price 19.00  
SPECIAL XMAS OFFER 13.75

1 only Black Venetian Dress size 36  
silk ribbon trimming, regular price  
14.50 Our Special Xmas Price 9.75

1 only Wine Color Panama Cloth Dress  
size 34, black silk soutache braid trim-  
mings. Priced regularly at 15.00  
SPECIAL XMAS OFFER 1.125

1 only Black Panama Cloth Dress size  
34, with silk yoke and satin trimming  
on Skirt. Priced regularly at 17.50  
Our special Xmas Offer 12.85

## Ladies' Underskirts

Black Silk Moire Underskirts with deep frills and large flounce gu-  
aranteed not to cut. Xmas Price 6.00

Fancy Striped Silk Moir Underskirts that have style about them as  
well as quality. Xmas Price 5.00

Black Taffatta Silk Underskirts the kind the guarantee goes with  
Xmas Price 4.50

Black Sateed Underskirts silk finished, flannel Lined a real warm  
winters undershirt. Xmas Price 2.50

Black Silk Taffe Underskirts extra deep flounce Xmas price 2.00

## Xmas Table Linens

If you have a good dinner at Xmas time you Must have Good Linens  
to Serve it on-- We have the Best Linen and we do not "best you"  
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Snowy White Linen Table clothes  
size 70x70 Lily Pattern Our Special  
Xmas Price 3.00 Table Napkins to  
to match size 19x19 at 2.50 per doz.

Table Napkins to Match size 20x20 at  
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Table Cloth size 71x73 Fluir de Lis Pat-  
tern Our Special Xmas Price 3.50

Table Cloth size 72x90 Shamrock pat-  
tern Price 4.50 Table Napkins to  
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UP Quality--we have Scales that give the Buyer and the Seller the  
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End. This is the way we build up a successful business. We  
Give you what you want and that is good for you. You come al-  
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Choice Cluster Table Raisins, Japanese Oranges, Malaga Grapes. Comb Honey,  
right from the bees in Ontario, 30c each. 4 Crown Figs, 20c per lb. Cry-  
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